EMERGENCY SUCTION ENTRAPMENT RELEASE PROCEDURE

1A. Supply fresh breathing air to the victim by whatever means are necessary or available, mouth to mouth, upside down 5 gallon bucket, snorkel, whatever need be done.

1B. SHUT OFF ALL PUMPS IMMEDIATELY!!!

(focus on #2: The most effective act: break the vacuum in the system, in some cases, shutting off the pump will not release the child!!!!)

- 2.<u>BREAK SYSTEM VACUUM</u>, OPEN PUMP LIDS!!! In some cases, shutting off the pump will not release the child !!!
- 3. IF YOU CANNOT OPEN PUMP LID(S)...HIT and BREAK THE PIPES GOING INTO THE FRONT OF THE PUMP(S) WITH; HAMMER, AX, SHOVEL, METAL PIPE, ROCK....BREAK THE PIPE... BREAK the VACUUM!!!
- 4. IF ABOVE IS NOT EFFECTIVE; LUBRICATE THE DIGIT, OR LIMB WITH A COATING OF PETROLEUM/SILICONE BASED JELLY OR COMMON "BUTTER", SUN TAN LOTION OR ANY AVAILABLE LUBRICANT.

THE MAIN OBJECTIVE IS TO "BREAK THE VACUUM IN THE PIPES/RELEASE THE CHILD"!!!

SHUTTING OFF THE PUMP MAY NOT RELEASE THE CHILD !!

!!URGENT!!...BREAK THE VACUUM IN THE PIPES: RELEASE THE CHILD"
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NOTE: Please carry a small charged scuba tank with regulator on the truck for such occasions.